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RE: *U.S. Patent Application No. 10/028,945 entitled "DIELECTRIC GATE AND METHODS FOR FLUID INJECTION AND CONTROL" – Peter Gascoyne et al.*
(Client reference: MDA00-037)

Sir:

Please find enclosed:

- (1) A Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) mailed March 18, 2002;
- (2) Declaration;
- (3) Power of Attorney;
- (4) Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(c)-Filing Date Granted;
- (5) Check in the amount of \$576.00; and
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Peter Gascoyne et al.

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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b), dated March 18, 2002, there are enclosed herewith:

- (a) Declaration executed on behalf of Peter Gascoyne, Jon Schwartz, Jody V. Vykoukal and Frederick F. Becker;
- (b) A Power of Attorney on behalf of Board of Regents, The University of Texas System;

- (c) Our check in the amount of \$576.00 to cover the basic filing fee (\$370.00 - utility small entity); surcharge for late filing (\$65.00); additional claims fee (\$141.00); and
- (d) A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filed Under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)-Filing Date Granted.

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$141.
 - \$99 for 11 total claims over 20.
 - \$42 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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